Resolutions passed by the Legislative Council.

106. **MR. M. N. PILLAI** (*Trivandrum*) : (1) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of resolutions passed by the Council and the number accepted by the Government so far with dates ?

(2) How many of these resolutions were carried out by the Government with the dates of such action and how many of them remain now to be carried out ?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : A statement* containing the information required by the member is laid on the table.

Forest Department.

107. **MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI** (*Tovala*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the reason for issuing the notification withdrawing the fee concession for the grazing and penning of foreign cattle in the forests of the Southern Division, which was published in the *Government Gazette*, dated the 21st Mithunam 1102 ;

(*b*) whether there was any recommendation from the Conservator of Forests ;

(*c*) whether a comparative statement, for the years 1100, 1101 and 1102, of the revenues derived from such fees on foreign cattle, for the whole of the Southern Division, with details of such revenue from the several taluks of the said Division, will be laid on the table and

(*d*) whether they are aware that ryots of South Travancore depend on foreign cattle, visiting periodically, for manuring their paddy fields, by penning them ?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) The withdrawal of the concessions was necessitated by the abuses to which these concessions were put by the Panagudi men in the matter of illicit grazing of cattle, illicit collection of minor forest produce and of open assaults on the subordinates of the Forest Department.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The statement† required by the member is laid on the table.

(*d*) The Government have no information. Grazing and penning fees are realised only when the foreign cattle are taken to the forests.

MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI (*Tovala*) : May I know the grounds on which the Government were persuaded to give concessions in the matter of fees for the grazing and penning of foreign cattle in the forests of the Southern Division ?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*) : Originally?

MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI (*Tovala*) : Yes.

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*) : The concession was given just to promote the facilities for agriculture.

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Appendix III.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 106.**

Statement showing the action taken on resolutions carried and accepted.

No.	Name of mover.	Subject.	Result of discussion.	Date of discussion.	Action taken.
1	C. P. Kochukunju Pillai	Training of undergraduate teachers.	Carried.	25-111-922	Rules 150 and 178 of the Education Code have been amended and a Notification embodying the modification in the curricula of studies necessitated by the reduction of period of training has been published.
2	Tariatu Kunjitomman	Arms Rules.	Do.	19-4-1923	The Government do not want to multiply these exemptions. In none of the cases mentioned in the resolution is exemption justified.
3	M. R. Madhava Variar	Introduction of spinning in schools	Do.	17-1-1924	The Director of Public Instruction was asked to submit proposals in the matter and on his recommendation a batch of manual training teachers has been trained in spinning in a special class at Trivandrum and these teachers have been posted to Training Schools to teach spinning.
4	M. R. Madhava Variar	Civil Courts' Guide.	Do.	19-1-1924	As the new Civil Procedure Code has become law, the question of accepting the resolution did not arise. No action was therefore taken.

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No.	Name of mover.	Subject.	Result of discussion.	Date of discussion.	Action taken.
5	P. K. Narayana Pillai	Memorial to His Highness the late Maharajah.	Accepted by Government.	11-2-1925	Under correspondence.
6	P. K. Narayana Pillai	Throwing open of tanks to all classes.	Carried.	14-8-1925	The reports received from the Chief Engineer, the Land Revenue Commissioner and the Maramat Engineer have been referred to the Devaswom Commissioner for his views.
7	S. C. H. Robinson	Land Records Maintenance Scheme.	Do.	4-1-1925	The Government accepted the resolution in question and the recommendations of the Land Records Committee were given effect to by G. O. R. O. C. No. 3272 of 25/Rev., dated 15-11-1925.
8	T. Kumara Pillai	Committee on unemployment	Accepted.	23-4-1926	A Committee has been appointed and is at work.
9	P. K. Narayana Pillai	Transfer of teachers from Vernacular to English Schools.	Carried.	24 and 25-11-1926	The Director of Public Instruction has been asked to report what action he proposes to take on the resolution.
10	M. Sivatanu Pillai	Reduction of rates of Anchal cards and envelopes.	Do.	30-4-1927	Under correspondence.